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CAUTION—Vice-Chancellor Sir W P Wood stated that Dr. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE: that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr J Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne: that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr Browne's—See TIMES, July 12, 1864.

The Public therefore are cautioned against using any other than

DR J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.

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This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, or freshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any o fthose unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma Crump Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, be

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet Dec 31, 1864.

From A Montgomery, Esq., late inspector of Hospitals, Bombay: Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy for Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed

Dr. Lowe, Medical Missionary in India reports (Dec 1865) that in nearly every case of Cholera in which Dr Collis Brownes' Chlorodyne was administered the patient recovered.

Extract from Medical Times, Jan 10, 1866—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox remedical practitioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.

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Beware of spurious and dangerous compounds sold as CHLORODYNE from which frequen tfatal results have followed

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REMOVAL.

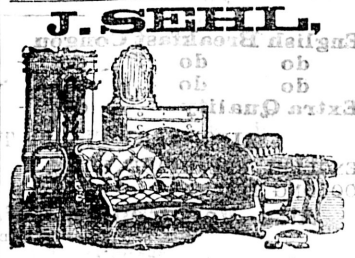
E. B. MARVIN,

SHIP CHANDLER & SAILMAKER,

HAS REMOVED TO THE BRICK BUILDING lately occupied by Findlay, Durham & Brodie, adjoining the store of D. Lenevell, Esq., Wharf street, se12

Miscellaneous.

J. SEHL,



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HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale nd Retail, at Low Rates. o11

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE NO Goods must be supplied on our account without our written order.

ENGELHARDT & CO.

Wharf St., Victoria, 19th Sept., 1876. se20 1m.

Tenders.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION.

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA EXpect to be able on or before

JANUARY, 1877,

TO INVITE

Tenders for Building and Working

The Sections between

Lake Superior and the Pacific Ocean,

under the provisions of the Canada Pacific Railway Act, 1874.

This Act (after reciting that it is expedient to provide for the construction of the work as rapid'y as it can be accomplished without further raising the rate of taxation) enacts that the Contractors for its construction and working shall receive LANDS, or the proceeds of LANDS, at the rate of 20,000 acres, and cash at the rate of $10,000—for each mile of railway constructed; together with interest at the RATE of four PER CENT., per ANNUM, for TWENTY-FIVE YEARS from the COMPLETION of the WORK, or any further sum which may be stipulated in the contract; and the act requires parties tendering to state, in their offers, the lowest sum, if any, per mile on which such interest will be required.

Copies of the Act, Maps showing the general route so far as at present settled, the published reports of Engineers, and such other information as is now available, can be seen at the Canadian Emigration Agency, in London, England, and at the Public Works Department, Ottawa.

This intimation is given in order to afford to all parties interested the fullest opportunity of examination and enquiry.

By order,
F. BRAUN
Secretary,
Dept. Public Works.

Department of Public Works, OTTAWA, 29th May, 1876. je27

British Columbia

AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The Fifth

PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION

WILL BE HELD AT

Philharmonic Hall and Davies & Co.'s Cattle Sale Yard, Fort Street,

—ON—

THURSDAY, the 5th October, 1876

THOS. RUSSELL,
Secretary.

VICTORIA, 8th Sept., 1876. se9dw

Cassiar Express

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS Creeks in Cassiar every Steamer to Fort Wrangel. Packages and letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co., will be forwarded.

Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.

J. JOHNSTON.
Agent for BRITISH COLONIST Newspaper. ap27

Notices.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
September 24th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place the following gentlemen on the Commission of the Peace:—

HENRY WORK, of Langley, Esquire, in and for the Electoral District of New Westminster.

HENRY MCHUGH, of Elk Park Farm, Esquire, in and for the Electoral District of Victoria. se24

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
September 12th, 1876.

JOHN SINCLAIR, Esq., J. P., of Cadboro Bay, to be a Commissioner under the "Drainage, Dyking and Irrigation Act, 1873," in and for the Electoral District of Victoria. se24

MAYNE ISLAND.

COWICHAN DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reservation of the North half of Section 9, Mayne Island, Cowichan District, dated the 27th November, 1875, is hereby rescinded.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept, 16th, 1876. se17

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Jesse Davis, of Dog Creek, B. C., deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 5th day of September, 1876, to

WM. LAING MEASON, J. P.,
Official Administrator.

Little Dog Creek, June 5th, 1886. je11d w3m

MAYNE ISLAND.

COWICHAN DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following sub division of land situate on Mayne Island, Cowichan District, is reserved for Government purposes viz:—

East half of Section 12.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1876. se7

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Victoria, September 30th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

A. T. D. MCELMEN, Esq., to form a Court of Revision and Appeal for the District of Victoria, as defined in the "Assessment Act, 1876."

THOMAS HARRIS Esq., to be Sheriff for Vancouver Island, vice RICHARD WOODS, Esq., deceased.

THOMAS HARRIS, Esq., to be a Registrar under and to carry out the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872," vice R. E. WOODS, Esq. oc1

DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,
(FROM CANTON)
Surgeon and Physician,
CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted. no11 1m

Notices.

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to

MRS. CRIDGE. ja11

WILLIAM RAE, Deceased.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THIS ESTATE are to be sent in to the undersigned before the 1st October, otherwise they will be disallowed.

M. W. T. DRAKE,
Administrator.

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Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between the undersigned carrying on business in Victoria as Wharfingers, Steamship Agents, &c., under the style of Engelhardt & Tibbals, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Engelhardt, who will carry on the business in the name of Engelhardt & Co., is hereby authorized to collect all debts due the late firm and will discharge all liabilities.

J. F. E. ENGELHARDT,
H. L. TIBBALS.

Witness—Henry Thain.
Victoria, 11th August, 1876. au13

Teacher Wanted.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned up to noon of Wednesday, August 30th, 1876, for the position of Assistant Female Teacher for the Nanaimo Public Schools. Salary 250 per month. Applicants to state the earliest possible time at which (if accepted) they can enter upon their duties.

GEO. NORRIS,
Sec-Treas. Nanaimo Trustee Board.

Nanaimo, Aug. 14, 1876 au30w

Provincial School Tax.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of the "School Tax Act, 1876," every male person above eighteen years of age, resident in the City of Victoria School District, is required to pay to the use of Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, an annual tax of three dollars, toward the maintenance of Public Schools.

The said Tax is now past due, and all persons liable are required to pay the same to the Collector forthwith, or in default they will be put to cost.

J. E. McMILLAN,
Collector.

Victoria, August 25th, 1876. au27

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS in pursuance of the provisions for this purpose contained in the "Breeding Stock Act, 1876," application has been made to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, to withdraw the Comox District from the operation of the said Act.

NOW KNOW YE, that under and by virtue of authority contained in the "Breeding Stock Act, 1876," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council directs that from the date hereof the said Act shall not have any operation in the Comox District as set forth in Schedule A to the "Constitution Act, 1871."

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honourable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHARLES GOOD,
Deputy Provincial Secretary. se12

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION O

Mules or Horses,

BELONGING TO THE

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,

Without written authority after this notice,

WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.

By order

MARCUS SMITH.

VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

Public Notice.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON private business to the Honorable Forbes George Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, are requested by the undersigned to endorse the wor "Private" on the outside of the envelopes covering such communications.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor-General.

Lands & Works Dept.,
Victoria, March 1st, 1876. mh2dw

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

SOUTH SAANICH DISTRICT.

NOTICE is heredy given, that I shall in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to Roderick Finlayson of—

Sections 11, 12, and 13, Range I, East,
" 11, 12, and 13, " I, West, and
" 11 and 13, " II, West,

in the South Saanich District, unless objection be made to me in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
19th August, 1876. au20

Government House, Victoria, Friday, 22nd September, 1876.

PRESENT:

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Attorney-General and under the provisions of the "Health Ordinance, 1869," His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice of the Executive Council of British Columbia, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered:—

That there be created a Health District to be called the Burrard Inlet Health District, which shall comprise all that tract of land included in a circle which may be described with a radius of 5 miles in length, from Hastings Mill, situate at Burrard Inlet, as the centre of such circle.

That a Board of Health be established in the said District, which shall be composed of JAMES RAYMUR and B. SPRINGER, Esquires.

That it shall be the duty of the said Board of Health to examine into all cases of epidemic, endemic, or contagious diseases or disorders, and to confine the patients suffering from such complaints within such place or places as to the said Board of Health may seem expedient, and that the jurisdiction and powers of the said Board of Health shall extend to all matters and things defined in the aforesaid "Health Ordinance, 1869."

W. SMITHE,
Minister of Finance & Clerk Executive Council.

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Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
22nd July, 1876.

THE Lieutenant-Governor in Council has been pleased to appoint RICHARD EDWARD WOODS, Esq., to be a Registrar under and to carry out the provisions of the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and of the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872." jy23

Notices.

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, JANITOR OF THEATRE Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity. Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. se2

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtors of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.

SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.

Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

PUBLIC NOTICE.

COWICHAN ELECTORAL DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Highway is established in Cowichan District, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the trunk road on the boundary line between Quamichan and Somenos District, thence following the line of the existing road in an easterly direction a distance of 5 miles, more or less, to Mr. Charles Jordan's pre-emption claim No. 1387, and including 10½ feet on each side thereof.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 9th September, 1876. se12

NOTICE.

"LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870."

Victoria Five-Acre Suburban Lot, No, V

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," I shal issue to "The Trustees of the First Presbyterian Church of Vancouver Island" a duplicate Certificate of Title (in lieu of the original, dated 10th March 1866, alleged to have been lost), to "All that piece parcel of ground forming part of suburban lot No Five, Victoria Town, and more particularly described as commencing at the Southwest corner of the said lot; thence running East along Pandora street ninety nine feet; thence at right angles Northerly along th piece of land (then) belonging to Edward Henr Jackson one hundred and twenty feet; thence at righ angles Westerly ninety-nine feet, and thence at righ angles Southerly one hundred and twenty feet to the place of beginning."

Unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
4th August, 1876. au5

PUBLIC NOTICE.

COWICHAN ELECTORAL DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Highway is hereby established in Cowichan District, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the Trunk Road on the section line between sections three (3) and four (4), Range four (IV); thence true East 75 chains more or less; thence North-East 90 chains more or less, to Lewis' bridge on the old Maple Bay and Somenos Road, and including sixteen and one-half feet (16½) on each side thereof.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 9th Sept., 1876. se12

Notice to Claimants of Land.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," Annacis Island, situate in the Land Recording District of New Westminster, has been sub-divided by survey and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., New Westminster.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof, should prove up their claims in accordance with clause 21, "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 23rd, 1876. se24

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

LD. LOWENBERG

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St. Louis College.

THE ABOVE INSTITUTION WILL REopen on Friday, Sept. 1st, at 9 o'clock a. m. au25

FREDERICK REYNOLDS

FAMILY

BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

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LONDON MARKET mh10

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YATES STREET, VICTORIA,

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AND French Preserves.

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And His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

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QUEEN'S MARKET, se3

New Advertisements

Fall Trade. | WHOLESALE. | Winter Goods.

IMMENSE STOCK,
GREAT BARGAINS,
NEW GOODS,

CHOICE SELECTIONS,
LATEST DESIGNS,
BEST ASSORTMENT.

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WHARF STREET, VICTORIA,

Have the MOST COMPLETE STOCK of GOODS ever offered in this market, selected especially by one of the Firm from the Manufactories of London, Manchester, Birmingham, Paisley, Frankfort, Paris, New York and San Francisco, which they offer to the Trade at a Discount on former Prices. Discount Sales commencing THIS DAY, and as an inducement to Purchasers

BARGAINS WILL BE GIVEN FOR TWO MONTHS

In order to reduce the stock to make room for Heavy Spring Importations.

IN STOCK.

3,000 Pairs 2 1-2, 3, 3 1-2 and 4 Point Blankets,
200 Pairs Fine Family Blankets,
3,000 Pairs Pants,
500 Fancy Rugs,
50,000 Yards Prints,
10,000 Yards Assorted Dress Goods,
2,000 Yards Merinos and Alpacas,
5,000 Yards Assorted Colors Wincey,
2,000 Yards Waterproof Tweed,
300 Dozen Hats and Caps,
500 " Towels,
100 " Briar Root Pipes,
100 " Umbrellas,
100 " Braces,
300 " Neckties,
700 " Handkerchiefs,
40 " Felt Skirts,

3,000 Yards Flannels, in Fancy Colors and White,
1,000 Yards Blue and Scarlet Serge,
20,000 Yards Grey and White Cottons,
5,000 Yards Denins and Drilling,
300 Dozen Duck and Denin Overalls and Jumpers,
500 Dozen Shirts and Drawers, in Merino, Flannel. Serge, Cashmere and Silk,
200 Dozen White and Fancy Dress Shirts,
1,000 Dozen Assorted Hosiery,
300 Gross Brooks' Thread,
100 Spindles Fingering Yarn,
500 Pieces Ribbons (Assorted),
20,000 Paper Collars,
2,000 Shawls (Assorted),
200 Alhambra Quilts,
200 Honeycomb Quilts,
100 Pieces Swiss Needlework,

MEN'S CLOTH, TWEED & DIAGONAL SUITS, PILOT JACKETS, ULSTERS, BEAVER AND WHITNEY OVERCOATS SILK UNDERWEAR, EIDER-DOWN QUILTS, LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING, LACES, BRAIDS, TAPES, BUTTONS, COMBS, HAIR BRUSHES, MIRRORS, WHISKS, PURSES, JEWELERY, HARMONICANS, POCKET AND TABLE CUTLERY, SCISSORS, STATIONERY, TWINE, WOOL CLOUDS, COMFORTERS, CARPET SLIPPERS, BUCK, WOOL & KID GLOVES, CORSETS, ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, RUBBER CLOTHING, GUNS, Etc., Etc., Etc.

100,000 HAVANA CIGARS,

TEN CHOICE BRANDS, to which we invite especial attention as the Best Assortment in the Market.

Hennessy Brandy, Old Dark Sazarac Brandy, Case Brandy.

Malaga Raisins, Prunes, Tobacco, California Wines, 100 Cases Rubber Boots.

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Daily British Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 4TH, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

IS THE CITY BANKRUPT?

The remark of the Mayor at the Council meeting on Friday evening with respect to the insolvency of the City of Victoria has created much comment amongst the ratepayers. Many and anxious inquiries are heard as to what has become of the sums raised by taxation; and already are heard the first mutterings of a storm of popular indignation which, unless a satisfactory explanation shall be shortly forthcoming, will descend with fury on the heads of the Corporation. With the exercise of ordinary prudence and economy the impression is general that the sum raised by Municipal taxation should be ample to defray the expense of running the civic "machine." A couple of years ago some ratepayers expressed the hope that there would be a reduction in the rate of taxation when the streets then in course of construction had been completed. The works then underweigh were extensive; and so long as the taxes drawn from the ratepayers' pockets were expended in useful public improvements the Englishman's privilege of growling was scarcely indulged in. A considerable body of laborers was furnished with employment within the City limits, and a fair proportion of the money expended found its way back into the pockets of various tradesmen. But now the case is different. Street work has been suspended, the laborers discharged, still taxation has not been reduced and the Mayor says the City is insolvent. If the Mayor's statement be correct, if the City's credit is imperilled for want of $4000, and if her borrowing powers be at an end, the public would like to be told what has been done with the large sums received during the current year in payment of taxes and rates? If the City in previous years was enabled to carry on extensive improvements and discharge all its liabilities upon a revenue of $56,000, how does it happen that in 1876, with a revenue slightly increased and with no improvements underweigh, the erection of two lamp-posts in needed localities is enough to bankrupt it? It must be painfully evident that there is a hole in the bottom of the Civic purse through which the public money escapes faster than it is put in. There must be a moth remorselessly eating, eating great holes in the Civic revenue. Is the name of that moth Extravagance? or is it Dishonesty? That is a question that only an audit can answer. It will not do for Councillors to assert that if people do not wish to pay their taxes they cannot be compelled to do so. The City has power to enforce payment—can levy on goods and chattels by distress, if necessary. Moreover, we are assured that the amount of taxes in arrears is not large—that of a possible revenue of $55,000 or $60,000 some $46,000 or $48,000 is already in the Collector's hands. Now, the most natural question under the circumstances for one to ask is. What has become of that large sum? Not only of that, but of the sum due the bank? for it is evident that there must be a considerable amount owing or the credit of the City would still stand good there.

Whilst we cannot acquit any member of the Corporation of a share in the responsibility of the serious state of affairs at the Town Hall, (since they all favor secret conclaves), we are still mindful of the fact that to the "excited" utterance of Mr. Drummond are the public indebted for the little peep they have been vouchsafed into the City treasury. That the fullest information was not placed before the public months ago is not the fault of the Press, who are allowed to report only the most meaningless twaddle and unimportant topics. The moment finances are reached the reporters are excluded in a highhanded and illegal manner. We are not surprised at the Council doing that. Shakespeare tells us of the "fantastic tricks" "men dressed in a little brief authority" are capable of playing. But it has always been a source of amazement to us that the Ratepayers should take matters so easily—that there should not be found at least one amongst the large body of persons who contribute to the support of the City Government to insist on being present while the fiscal condition of the City was under discussion, and who, when forced to withdraw, would bring the Mayor and Councillors before the Supreme Court! Why was the last issue of water debentures sacrificed at 87½ with accrued interest? Because the offer was discussed and accepted with closed doors. Had the offer been discussed in public this sacrifice would have been prevented and at least $13,000 saved the City. Now, what the ratepayers are interested in knowing is, whether there have been any other transactions of a similar character that have not met the public eye? Whether the bankrupt condition of the City is owing to the extravagance, dishonesty or recklessness of its officials? This they have a right to know. The Provincial Government have the power to institute a rigid investigation and ought to do it.

Canada and British Columbia.

The following appears in the London *Times*:

"I have read with considerable astonishment the statements made by 'A Canadian' in the *Times* of Saturday concerning the Canada Pacific railway. In 1873 (the year in which the Government of Sir John Macdonald gave place to that of Mr. Mackenzie), in company with a friend and two servants, I traversed the whole route of the proposed railway from Toronto to Vancouver Island. When we left Toronto at the end of June Sir John Macdonald was still in office, the railway scheme had not been abandoned, and the lines from Montreal to Toronto, and from Toronto tn Lake Simcoe were open, as we travelled over them, and they do not, therefore, owe their origin, as 'A Canadian' implies, to the Mackenzie Government. With the exception of a portion of the forest on the eastern flank of the Rocky Mountains the whole route of the Pacific railway had been surveyed, though its exact course had not been marked out, and considerable engineering difficulties were anticipated in the country along the north shore of Lake Superior and in the Cascade range in British Columbia. I may here observe that the change of Government was not made on the merits of two rival schemes for the course and construction of the railway, but in consequence of some jobbery in connection with the contracts for carrying it out. Mr. Mackenzie does not deserve the credit for the Pembina and Manitoba railway for it had been surveyed, but its construction had been suspended in favor of a direct line from Lake Superior, the whole of which would lie in British territory, before he came into office. * * * With regard to the wagon road over the Rocky Mountains, I cannot believe it was ever seriously contemplated, for, apart from the difficulties of its construction, it would pass through hundreds of miles of forest, mountain, and swamp, where food could not be found for even a score of rough Indian ponies, many of which dropped by the way from sheer starvation. The immense size of many of the rivers, liable to sudden floods, would also render such a scheme impracticable and worthless. 'These works (of Mr. Mackenzie's) completed,' says 'A Canadian,' 'there would be a direct and quick passage from west to east of the Dominion by coach (!) over the Rocky Mountains, by steam down to Manitoba, by rail to Pembina, and then by American rails, &c., to any part of the world.' Some idea may be formed of the practicability of this scheme when I say that it took us five months assistance from surveying parties *en route*, to accomplish the distance from Red River to the settlement in British Columbia, at Kamloops. 'A Canadian' goes on to say, 'much of the scheme has already been accomplished, and that, too, without taxing the people,' &c. With the exception of the telegraph (which, by the way, I have no doubt is largely subsidized by the Hudson's Bay Company), and possibly a part of the Pembina railway (a cheap line across prairie country), no part of the scheme has been accomplished, or even attempted by the Mackenzie Government, for the very good reason that it is impracticable, and, if practicable, would be comparatively useless. The coach road over the mountains is impossible for the reasons I have already given. The navigation of the Saskatchewan is open only for a short time in the spring, is always dangerous, and does not lie on the route of the settled districts. The railway route through the United States is objectionable on account of tariffs, and because it is unnational, and identifies the magnificent prairie districts of Central Canada with the States rather than the other parts of the Dominion, and, worse, leads to its settlement with Americans rather than English or Canadians. The time may not yet have arrived for the adoption of the original scheme of a Dominion railway, on account of the expense, the thinness of the population, and the geographical barriers; but it should not be lost sight of, nor should the make shifts of the Mackenzie Government be allowed to supersede it. The one is as truly Imperial and national as the other is colonial and Provincial. Englishmen at home should not allow themselves to be misled by a name, and think that, because our British American possessions call themselves a Dominion, the different Provinces of which it consists have ceased to have petty jealousies of each other. The present difficulty between the Eastern and Western Provinces is an Imperial question, and should not be left to the Dominion Government to decide, for it is too short-sighted to see the evil which may result from its wavering policy. I quite agree with 'A Canadian' in his final remarks that British Columbia cannot stand alone, and if it becomes separate from the Dominion it must inevitably fall into the hands of the United States. At present Victoria is completely cut off from all the world, except San Francisco, of which, indeed, it is but a suburb, though separated by many hundreds of miles; it is dependent on the States for its corn and cattle, for, without a railway, it cannot obtain its own large stores in the centre of the Province. The American party is very strong in both the western and central portions of the Dominion, for the reason that they are being settled by Americans and trade with the States, and we must not be surprised if the persecution and faithlessness of the Eastern Provinces drive these portions of the Empire to forgot their loyalty to the Crown.

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AN ENGLISHMAN.

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October 2nd, 1876. oc3

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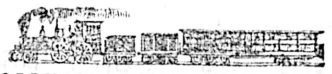

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AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. H. Passerard, Johnson st., Household Furniture, Stoves, Ornaments, Clocks, etc.

Saanich Agricultural Show.

There was a large gathering at Agricultural Hall, Saanich, yesterday. The attendance of many from the city not specially interested in the advancement of agriculture is evidence of the increasing interest felt in the welfare of the farmers. Premier Elliott and Messrs. Smithe and Vernon were present—a refreshing change from the days when the "cold shoulder" was turned to the farmers by former James Bay magnates. The exhibit was meagre, a circumstance ascribed to the backwardness of the season. We observed some very five melons, peaches, peas, wheat and roots on the ground. The exhibit of butter, while not large, was highly commendable in quality. Mrs. J. D. Bryant, who has been a successful competitor at Saanich and Victoria for several years, was again the recipient of the first prize for fresh butter, and Mrs. Mitchell was awarded the first prize for the best firkin of salt butter. Saanich has reason to feel proud of her dairy producers as represented by Mesdames Bryant and Mitchell. Some very handsome specimens of needlework were shown. There was a keen competition in live stock, of which there was a fair collection on the ground. The prize-list will appear tomorrow. The Judges of the various articles on exhibition were:

Cattle and Sheep—Messrs. Dooley, McCloud and Dudgeon.

Horses and Swine—F. Saunders, H. Bennett and W. Reay.

Grain and Poultry—Dr. Tolmie, C. Reay and T. Carter.

Roots—D. W. Higgins, A. McKenzie, and Henry Brackman.

Butter and Fruits—Messrs. J. Robson, W. W. Walkem and W. Tolmie, jr.

Needlework—Mrs. Higgins, Miss Mackenzie, Miss Tolmie.

In the evening a grand ball took place and Haynes' Band bewitched the dancers with exquisite music.

AN INFAMOUS LIBEL.—Under the caption of "A big disgust in Lillooet District" the editor of the *Standard* assuming the *nom de plume* of "Teamster" writes a letter to himself and asserts, amongst other falsehoods, that in the year 1864 or 1865 the people of Lillooet presented a petition to the then Governor, praying for the removal of Mr. Elliott who was then County Court Judge and Justice of the Peace for the District. Now to those who are best acquainted with the hon. Mr. Elliott's antecedents in Lillooet District it is at once apparent that this statement is simply an infamous libel. No contradiction of the vile slander is necessary on our part so far as the Premier's most intimate friends are concerned. They know it to be a lie—we can call it nothing else—of the most malignant type. Indeed far from any petition ever being circulated to remove Mr. Elliott from the District of Lillooet, just the contrary course was adopted, for the present Premier whilst on the Mainland became so popular and so thoroughly gained the goodwill of those with whom he came in contact, that Lillooet District especially regretted his determination to accept the appointment of Sheriff of Vancouver Island.

AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION. — The fifth annual exhibition of the Provincial Agricultural and Horticultural Society will take place to-morrow at Davies' cattle yard and in the large hall belonging to the Mechanics' Institute, Fort street. The hall will be open for the reception of exhibits from 2 p.m. till 9 p.m. to-day, and at 10 a.m. to-morrow the doors will be closed to enable the judges to make their awards. The prizes offered foot up to the handsome total of $1200, and there is every probability of the exhibition proving one of the most successful ever held in this city. The public will be admitted at noon to-morrow and the show will close at the usual hour—about 6 p. m. The hall has been conveniently arranged for the reception of the various exhibits in their respective classes and it is hoped that intending exhibitors will have their products at headquarters in good time.

CITY FINANCES.—Early in the present year a resolution was passed by the City Council calling for a financial statement of Corporation funds at the expiration of every quarter. The third quarter of the year closed on Saturday last and consequently the statement for that period is due and should be presented to-night at the regular meeting of our "fathers" to be taken into consideration by that august body. The utterances of the Mayor last week—whether random or accurate—have excited no little curiosity, mingled with a tinge of suspicion, amongst the taxpayers, and in justice to them it is only right that the secrets of their stewards should be laid bare this evening without further tergiversation.

THE ELIZA ANDERSON, — This steamer arrived here at 5 o'clock last evening from Olympia and Puget Sound ports with 50,000 laths for Messrs. Moody & Co., 75,000 laths and 88 doors for Mr. W. P. Sayward and the following passengers on board: Mrs. W. S. Morgan, Messrs. C. White, P. Ranke, J. Weir, Kingston, J. Campbell and a Chinaman. The Anderson will leave on her return trip at 11 o'clock this morning.

NEW BAKERY.—Mr. J. J. Wilson has opened convenient premises on the corner of Fort and Quadra streets as a first-class bakery. *Vide* advertisement.

DISCHARGED.—The H. B. Co.'s bark Lady Head completed the discharge of her cargo yesterday and will shortly commence to load for London.

TO SPORTSMEN.—Just received from Eley Bros. London, central-fire cartridge cases $1 per 100; to be had of Henry Short, gun store Fort street. 1w*

FINLAYSON'S SAWMILL on Government street has sunk from old age beneath its own weight and is now a complete wreck.

City Police Court.

[Before His Honor H. C. Courtney.]

TUESDAY, Oct. 3d.

C. Williams and G. Inman, two seamen belonging to the bark Lady Head, were charged with desertion.

Sergt. Bloomfield deposed that about 1 o'clock yesterday morning he saw a boat at the vessel's bows and the prisoners were handing certain articles of clothing, etc., from the vessel to the boat and

His Honor here remarked that before he could hear evidence in the case, the Captain of the Lady Head must appear to depose to the prisoners' being on the ship's articles.

The case was therefore remanded one day.

Peter Swigman, charged with disturbing the peace, appeared in the dock with his head in a bandage, his face swollen and bruised and his eyes blacked.

Officer Lindsay deposed that on Monday night defendant was under the influence of liquor and bragging that he could "whip any s—— of a b—— in Victoria." Defendant got into two fights during the evening and apparently came out second best on each occasion. He was creating a disturbance in the neighborhood of the squaw dance-house, Johnson street, when arrested.

Prisoner pleaded that he was drunk at the time and had but a dim recollection of what passed. His Honor ordered him to find two securities of $25 each and to bind himself over in the sum of $50 to be of good behavior for a month.

William Smith charged with vagrancy was remanded one day.

FOR PUGET SOUND—.The steamer North Pacific left for Olympia and way ports on Puget Sound at 10 o'clock yesterday morning with the overland mails and a large number of passengers. The "Marionette" troupe, Lieut.-Col. Powell, Miss Branks, Messrs. T. Patullo, Felt, McCann, Troup and several Cassiar miners were on board.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise left the H. B. Co.'s wharf at 7:30 o'clock yesterday for New Westminster carrying the Lower-Fraser mails, a quantity of freight and a dozen passengers, amongst whom were Mrs. Edmonds, Messrs. J. K. Suter, B. Price, Todd and Rev. Mr. Jamieson.

FOR NANAIMO.—The steamer Cariboo-Fly sailed at 7 o'clock yesterday morning for Nanaimo and settlements on the East Coast with the mails and following passengers:—Mrs. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Norris and family, Mrs. Shields, Messrs. Morley, Blass, Graham, Charley, Williams and several others.

MORE BEEF.—The steamer Enterprise, due this afternoon from New Westminster, will bring Messrs. Goodacre & Dooley another band of the celebrated beeves from Mr. Allison's establishment on the Semilkameen. Send in your orders for the choicest roasts.

DUE.—The mail steamship Dakota is due from San Francisco and will in all probability arrive at Esquimalt at daybreak this morning.

PILOT.—Mr. John Collins pilots the steamer Isabel to Wrangel.

"British Columbian" and the M. S. S. Co.—A "Spartan" to the Rescue.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Messrs. Englehardt & Co. agents for the P. M. S. S. Co., in this city, offer a card "in explanation" (?) which however ill-chosen may be accredited with having most effectually vanquished your correspondent "British Columbian" in his determination to force the public to disbelieve the statement that passengers shipping at San Francisco for Victoria by one of the mail steamers were made to pay Portland rates, being then three times the price of a ticket to Victoria, under the pretense of the portion of the ship allotted to Victoria bound passengers being full. It does more; and—after having been cornered, acknowledges with cool characteristic impertinence, the practice of one of the very vexatious systems of which your several correspondents so justly complain.

Now it occurs to me to ask why are Victoria passengers either to or from restricted to the use of only a portion of the ship? What regulates the division? The portion allotted Victoria—if this principle is allowed—may be very small indeed, and may be considered full at any time that the strong prejudices of the agent, or other convenient circumstance, overwhelm his better judgment and the advanced rate be demanded.

Why are the vessels run to extent in the interest of foreign ports, when subsidized by the Dominion Government solely for the benefits which may accrue from the existence of a line of steamers running in the interest of this port alone for the accommodation of her people and the advancement of her interests. The course pursued by the mail company in this respect, is in direct violation of the well-established rules regulating such service, contrary to fair dealing and to the principle upon which subsidies are granted—not in accord with the wishes of this Province when advocating, or the intention of the Domion Government when granting such subsidy. Any unbiased mind, any person in fact, unless perchance a few who, regardless of the public weal, aspire only to those "relations with the S.S.Co.," which "are of the most pleasant character" will admit. Yet in their good nature but few seem willing to take the initiative. The time has arrived however for decided action when the Dominion Government must be made acquainted with the fact that the subsidy paid for the mail service to San Francisco as at present performed is simply so much money thrown away; for sundry reasons far better, thrown away.

The agents in their card fall into,—to them—the too common error of a "dollar and cent" standard, seeming to overlook the fact that it is not of the $15 paid—which under ordinary circumstances would be exceedingly reasonable—that your correspondents speak with disfavor, but of the principle involved. At the time this irregular charge was made Messrs. Rhodes & Co. were Agents for the Mail Co., in this place. Upon the circumstances therewith being made known in this city, none were more ready to condemn, characterizing such acts as most unjust, or more urgent for their publication, than Mr. Englehardt, who more than once pressed the injured party to publicly disclose. There are those who are curious to know how Mr. Englehardt can now so readily countenance and attempt to explain away, what he then considered utterly untenable.

A TRUE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

October, 3d, 1876.

The "Big Disgust" Lie.

EDITOR COLONIST: — This morning's *Standard* contains an article headed "Big Disgust in the Lillooet District" signed "Teamster." The writer is mistaken in his name; "Liar" would have hit his case to perfection. I defy "Teamster" *alias* "Liar" to produce the name of a single respectable individual who ever made the statement that the people of Lillooet presented a petition to the then Governor praying him to remove Mr. Elliott. If the *Standard* people can not produce a more skilful manufacturer of lies than "Teamster" they should retire. I was an old resident of Lillooet, and frankly state that the "Little Judge" was one of the most popular officials in British Columbia.

LILLOOET.

Victoria, Oct. 3, 1876.

EDITOR COLONIST:—A letter appeared in the *Standard* of yesterday signed "Teamster," and headed "A big disgust in the Lillooet District." The heading is not an expression of the day, it is a vulgarism of the past. So is all the letter.

It never was even written by a "Teamster." A hard-working teamster would not express himself in the snobbery of such aristocratic vulgarity. One of the people would not be guilty of such ignorance—forsooth, the "Teamster," he who never followed such an honest vocation, is offended because a practical, hard working man, who gave employment the last ten years to many a teamster, is appointed as Road Superintendent. He is disgusted because the Superintendent is not an educated ass or a J. P. He is equally annoyed by the Assessor's appointment, because the man was, he says, imprisoned for manslaughter. This is a mistake. He was punished for assaulting a man with a dangerous weapon who had discharged three shots out of his six-shooter at him.

The "Teamster" says in his letter, "I have been told that the people of Lillooet presented the Governor of this Colony in 1864 or '5 with a petition praying for the removal of Mr. Elliott." To use the expression of a polite politician this is a square lie—as unfounded as it is false. At that time, or previous, or since then, it would be impossible to get half a dozen men in the whole district to sign such a petition.

Yours, etc.,

A PIONEER.

VICTORIA, Oct. 3d, 1876.

MR. EDITOR:—A correspondent in to-days *Standard* who signs himself "Teamster" says: "*I have been told that in the early days of the Province—I think in 1864 or in 1865—the people of Lillooet presented the then Governor of the Colony with a petition, praying him to remove Mr. Elliott, who was then County Court Judge and Justice of the Peace—for reasons which demanded his dismissal,*" *etc., etc.*

I beg leave to state that I was a resident of Lillooet during the years mentioned and for years before and after, and I never heard of the petition or knew of any necessity for it. Mr. Elliott was always highly respected and beloved; and a petition for his removal would not have gotten a signature. No! not even from a jail prisoner, (if such existed) for Judge Elliott's justice was always tempered with mercy. So much for the petition.

Mr. Elliott's appointee—the Road Superintendent—is a gentleman, long and favorably known in the district, who can read and answer all the documents he receives or may receive.

The party said to have been *manslaughtered* by the newly appointed Assessor and Collector, lived long enough to arrest (after a hearty supper) Forman's murderer in Victoria and is now no doubt revelling in fresh fields (or woods) and pastures new.

The appointment of the Government Agent at Clinton I think gives general satisfaction.

I have no reason to be particularly in love with the Elliott Administration; but I cannot witness such extravagant stories,—more properly called lies—being promulgated without making a protest and giving facts.

For that's the kind of man I am.

APPAH of Lillooet.

Special Notice.

Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co. are about to issue a "Guide to British Columbia," to comprise—

A directory of the principal towns in the Province, including census.

Complete lists of the Dominion and Local Government Offices.

Government reports on mineral and other subjects.

Essays on the products and resources of the Province, from the most reliable authority.

Lists and reports of the different societies.

The Indian Act as now in force.

Chinook dictionary.

And all general information that can be collected to aid in promoting immigration and the welfare of the country.

W. C. Robinson is their authorized agent to solicit advertisements and subscribers for the above.

All payments to be made after issue of the book, to Messrs. Hibben & Co.

The price of the guide book, which will contain about 400 pages, has been fixed at the low figure of *one* dollar to insure a large circulation. 3m*

Weekly British Colonist.

One thousand extra copies of the weekly edition of the BRITISH COLONIST will be struck off to-day for the accommodation of the public. The edition will contain the Governor-General's speech, a report of the ceremonies incidental to the driving of the first pile of the Graving Dock, and accounts of the moving events of the past seven days. Price, one bit. Copies of the issue of the 20th inst. may still be had at the publication office and bookstores. * *

MR. ALF. HILLENMEYER, who has for a number of years been employed as watchmaker by a leading firm in this city, has opened a shop for repairs of watches, clocks and jewelry on Government street, second door from Yates. With extensive experience in the business he guarantees entire satisfaction. All watch and clock work warranted for one year. *3m

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province. * *

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—The entrance to Lick House is draped with crape and the rooms of deceased are similarly bedecked. All preparations were made yesterday for the funeral ceremonies of the late Mr. Lick. The Board of Directors California Pioneers convened and read a note from the secretary of the Lick Trust company informing them that trustees had delegated to the Pioneers the honor of taking charge of the obsequies. The charge was unanimously and thankfully accepted. The remains will be placed in the vault of the new cemetery of the Masons if consent can be obtained therefor until arrangements shall have been completed for final burial. The date of the funeral has been changed to Wednesday next.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Sept. 2.—Julius Blank, a blind professor of music, residing on the top floor of number 201 West Thirty-third street, shot his wife last night inflicting a fatal wound. He also shot his daughter Alice, who died soon after. He then shot himself causing instant death.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.—Staff Commander Chas. H. Craven has been ordered to Mare Island navy yard.

The debt statement issued to-day shows a reduction during the last month of $2,914,365.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 2.—A heavy freshet here last night; but little damage. This relieves all anxiety in regard to yellow fever.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The first session of the American Mining Board was held this morning.

The dealings will be confined to mines petroleum and manufacturing stock. The list of stocks called numbered about fifty.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The funeral service of the remains of Mary Noyes, wife of Commodore Garrison, was held to-day in University Place. The church edifice was thronged with the friends of the deceased, and the services were celebrated by a fitting eulogy delivered by Rev. Dr. Booth, pastor of the church.

CANADA.

MONTREAL, Oct. 2.—Arrived the steamships Manitoba and severn from London.

EUROPE.

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 2.—Arrived the steamship Ohio from Philadephia.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 2.—The corn crop is steady at 25½. Receipts of wheat for the past week from Atlantic ports 185; from Pacific ports 185. From other sources 149. Receipts of corn 255.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 2.--The steamship Idaho which left this port Sept. 26 and Queenstown Sept. 28 for New York is returning with her machinery disabled.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was £4,2,00.

MADRID, Oct. 2.—A contract for the Cuban loan of fifteen million piastres has been awarded to the Board of Castile.

RAGUSA, Oct. 2.—The Montenegrin government is understood to be prepared to accept terms of peace based on an extension of territory, although the people favor a continuance of the war.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—The "Times" correspondent at Turkish head quarters says Thursday's battle both as regards losses and numbers engaged was decidedly the greatest of the whole war. On the front towards Moravia the Servian attack was mere directed against the Turkish bridge. The main attack was against the Turks left under Halerick and Ali Pasha in order to cut off the Turkish retreat.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—A telegram to the "Times" from Belgrade says a dispatch from the head quarters of the army of Moravia announces that on Friday the Turks from Schiljegwatz attacked the Servians on this side and maintained their positions. Fighting was resumed on Saturday. The Servians sustained a considerable loss. The Russians displayed great bravery. Two Servian and thirty Russian officers were killed. The same dispatch says that a rumor has reached Belgrade, that Turkey will accept the peace conditions provided. Servia is made to do likewise. 4000 Russians arrived at Belgrade on Saturday.

A special dispatch from Berlin to the *Times* says that a considerable portion of the Russian army is to be ready for immediate concentration. The cavalry and field artillery are now on a war footing, and the infantry are ready to march.

The *Times* Berlin correspondent gives substantially the same account of the Czar's letter to the Emperor of Austria as that given by its Paris correspondent and published this morning. He also says that the Czar proposes that Servia shall retain her present independence under Russian generals. Notwithstanding the serious steps taken by her there is a pretty general conviction that Russia does not wish to go to war.

Austria's answer will probably refer the question of military occupation to a joint decision of the guaranteeing powers. The Russian diplomatists left no doubt as to the kind of independence they wished accorded to the Dalma provinces. These provinces to be like Servia and Roumania all but independent under Christian governments supported by Christian soldiers having no connection with the Porte except financially.

INCORRECT.—Dr. Barnard has *not* gone to New Westminster, and has no intention of going. *

Canada and British Columbia.

(To the Editor of the Times.)

Sir,—In "The Times" of Saturday appeared a letter, signed "A Canadian," questioning some of your statements made in a leader of the 20th ult.

Having been in British Columbia since 1861, and being politically and otherwise connected with that province, I am in a position to refute the assertions of your correspondent. In the first place, the scheme of Sir John A. Macdonald had not collapsed when he was "in the height of his strength and following." The charter granted to Sir Hugh Allan was resigned in the autumn of 1873, just before the meeting of Parliament, and when Sir John's following had so fallen away that he found it necessary to tender his resignation to the Govenor General. Nor was the scheme necessarily abandoned because the contract to one set of contractors had been cancelled, neither was there time for further negotiations, as the resignation of the Ministry followed in about six weeks.

Few expected that the railroad would be completed by 1881, but British Columbia had a right to expect that a commencement would have been made in 1873 in accordance with the terms of confederation. Three years have elapsed and there is still no sign of construction on the western seaboard.

Your correspondent is grossly in error in stating that no surveys had been made, and no line fixed when Sir John was in power. Surveys were commenced in 1871, and the terminus of the line fixed at Esquimalt by a Minute of Council in 1873.

The promise of Mr. Mackenzie that he will construct the line "as soon as possible" is no satisfaction to my fellow-colonists when they see no sign of beginning. Had the railroad been commenced, and the work carried on with a fair amount of energy, not a word would have been heard from British Columbia with regard to the time limit. But three years have been allowed to pass away without even fixing the route to be adopted, as the present Government maintain they are not bound by the Minute of Council passed by the last Administration.

The Railroad Bill introduced in the Senate to carry out part of the compromise arranged by Lord Carnarvon was defeated by a majority of two. Among those who voted against the Bill was a recently appointed Senator of Mr. Mackenzie's party!

This occurred in the Session of 1875. During the last Session (of this year) no effort was made to reintroduce the Bill, or to give effect in any other way to the compromise agreed to.

We need no "generosity" from Canada, but we certainly should like justice. British Columbia is neither unreasonable nor exacting, but when year after year slips by, and one broken promise is only replaced by another promise similarly broken, we do think that the time has arrived when a demand should be made that some portion of the terms of confederation be carried into effect.

I might adduce many facts showing the injustice done to British Columbia; but, at present, will say nothing to increase the difference between the two Governments, which I trust the mission of Lord Dufferin may smooth away.

I am, your obedient servant,

A BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

Sept. 2, 1876.

Atmospheric Engines for Tramways.

The results of many experiments of late tend to suggest the great probability that at no very distant period horse-power will be entirely superseded on street tramways. The great desideratum hitherto has been a power easily controlled, economical, and free from any demonstration of energy such as would be likely to frighten horses, and such a power has been produced lately in more than one quarter of the world. A well-known engineering firm of London has constructed a steam-engine which has for sometime been working most satisfactorily on the Continent, and in one or two provincial towns experiments considered to be very successful have been tried. These have all, we believe, been steam motors. A Parisian engineer has recently devised a car with which is incorporated mechanism for propelling it by means of compressed air. Condensed air as a motive power has been frequently tried before, but the particular invention referred to appears to differ from all others of the kind in one important respect. At one end of the tramway powerful condensing engines are required, and by means of these air is forced into reservoirs beneath the car under a pressure of twenty-five or thirty atmospheres. From these condensers the air in most other engines of the kind would operate directly on the machinery of the car. By the new system, however, it passes first through a volume of intensely hot water, and thus becomes thorough saturated with steam. By this means a very small volume of air is sufficient for a considerable journey. With air condensed under a heavy pressure of twenty-five atmospheres, eleven cubic feet will, it is said, propel an ordinary tram-car for a mile. The new engine is pronounced to be easily handled, noiseless, and economical. The operations of slackening or increasing speed, stopping or starting, are effected with greater ease than with horses, while it does not appear to be an especially complicated or expensive piece of mechanism. —*Globe.*

IN conformity with a Resolution passed by the Municipal Council on the 30th August, inst., the public are hereby notified that any person or persons causing any combustible matter to be ignited out of doors after sunset, will be proceeded against under Section 8 of the Municipal By Law, No. 1, for the protection of the City against fire, Oct 3rd, 1862. * *

A Diamond Raffle

At Lovett's saloon, to take place on the evening of December 2nd, 1876, at half-past seven o'clock. 420 chances at $5 each. Every article put up at its value and each article is known to most of the residents of Victoria. 5 prizes: One 5¼ carat diamond, fitted to be worn as ring or pin, value $1,000. One diamond cluster ring, value $300. One fine gold watch valued at $200. One Jules Jurgeson watch—independent second hand—one of the finest watches in the Colony, value $300. One diamond slide (well known), value $300. The highest throw takes the 5¼ carat diamond with ring and pin settings or $900 in gold coin. The next highest takes the diamond cluster ring. The third highest takes the fine gold watch. The lowest throw has choice of the Jules Jurgeson watch or the diamond slide, and the second lowest takes the remaining prize. There will be three well known responsible gentlemen selected by the ticket-holders on the night of the raffle to conduct it. Parties that may have tickets for sale must make returns before the 2nd December, or the numbers they hold will be cancelled.

NOBODY BORED TO BUY TICKETS

Any person holding a ticket or tickets who may wish to leave Victoria, or who becomes dissatisfied before the raffle takes place, can have the price of the ticket or tickets refunded on presentation to

JOSEPH LOVETT,
Cold Tea Saloon, Government St.,
Victoria, B. C.

The prizes will be on view at Mr. H. Rudolph's Jewellery Shop—the coin put up the night of the raffle. *

BLANKBOOK MANUFACTORY AND BOOKBINDERY.

Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co.'s store. * *

MUSIC — NOTICE OF REMOVAL. — Mr. Digby Palmer has removed into his new residence, Fort street. Instruction on the pianoforte, singing and thorough bass; pianofortes tuned; evening parties and balls supplied with music; pianofortes tuned by the year, $10. Orders may be left at T. N. Hibben & Co's. *6m

JUST RECEIVED.—At Albion House a further supply of the Raymond favorite sewing machine; also, Chappell & Co.'s prize medal Pianofortes and Alexandre Harmoniums. For sale at agents' rates on easy terms by A. B. GRAY & Co., Government street. July 21st, 1876. * *

WM. HAYNES, Bandmaster Militia, will give instruction in the theory of harmony at schools or residences. Processions, balls, private parties, &c., &c., furnished. Orders left at M. R. Smith's, Victoria Bakery, Fort street, will receive prompt attention. * *

Auction Sales

THIS DAY.
Auction Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have been instructed by Mr. Honore Passerard to to sell at his residence, Johnson street,

Wednesday, Oct. 4th, at 11 o'clock a. m.,

All of his Household Furniture and Effects, consisting of Bureaus, Tables, Oilcloth, Desk, Wardrobe Lot of Clothing,

TRUMPETER RANGE,

Kitchen Utensils, Tinware, Hose, Wheelbarrow, Spanish Mahog. Bedstead, Wardrobe, Bedding Canary Birds, Ornaments, Clocks, Pictures, etc.

Immediately after which they will sell at his warehouse, Store street,

Iron Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattrasses,

10 ASSORTED STOVES,

Carpenters' Tools, Crosscut Saws, Geared Wheels, Wallpaper, Cranks, Blocks and Tackle, Sashes, Pictures, and a general assortment of useful "Ikas" too numerous to mention.

TERMS CASH. J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se27 Auctioneers.

Preliminary Notice.

We have received instructions from J. H. Brodie, Esq., to sell on Friday, Oct. 13th, at his residence, Ross Bay, all his well-kept Household Furniture, Horses, Carriages, etc., etc.

Particulars hereafter.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se24 Auctioneers.

CARRIAGE HORSES!

AUCTION.

J. P. Davies & Co.

Have received instructions from Joseph Boscowitz, Esq., to sell at their

CATTLE SALE YARD, FORT ST.,

On THURSDAY, the 5th of October,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

His Span of Matched

GREY CARRIAGE HORSES,

A fine Family Team, work either Single or Double, both kind and gentle.

— ALSO —

The Span of

Bay and Sorrel Carriage Horses,

A fine Family Team, kind and gentle.

Both these teams are first-class and well worth the inspection of intending purchasers. Can be seen prior to the sale at Mr. Geo. Francis' stables, Trounce Alley.

ALSO—One first class Saddle Horse.

TERMS AT SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
se27 Auctioneers.

A. Casamayou & Co.,

YATES STREET, VICTORIA,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS & WHOLESALE Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS,
WINES, LIQUORS, &c.,
AND French Preserves.
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MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Notices.

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Thursday, the twentieth-first day of September instant to have been commenced and heldand every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the twenty-first day of September instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Wednesday, the Twenty-second day of November next, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this fifth day of September, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
HENRY S. MASON,
Deputy Registrar Supreme Court. au12

The Under Secretary of State to the Lieutenant-Governor.

OTTAWA, 29th May, 1876.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit to you, herewith for the information of your Government, a copy of an Order of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, transferring and appropriating certain lands therein described, for the use of the Legislature and Government of the Province of British Columbia.

I have, etc.,

(Signed) EDOUARD LANGEVIN.

Government House, Ottawa, Friday, 26th May, 1876.

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, and under the provisions of the 8th section of the "British North America Act, 1867," and the 8th item of the Third Schedule attached thereto.—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following properties situated in the localities hereinafter mentioned in the Province of British Columbia be, and they are hereby, transferred to and appropriated for the use of the Legislature and Government of the said Province of British Columbia, that is to say:—

1. The lots and Buildings marked B, C and E on plan No. 1, signed by the Honorable Henry Holbrook, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and being Lot B, the Government Buildings; Lot C, a School House and Reserve; and Lot E, the Police Barracks, all in Victoria.

2. The Lot and Building represented on plan No. 6, signed as above, and being the Lieutenant-Governor's residence at Victoria.

3. The Public Building and Land represented on plan No. 8, signed as above, and being a School House and Reserve in Victoria District.

4. The Lots and Buildings indicated on plan No. 10 by the letters C, E. and F, and signed as above, being Lot C, the Court House and Jail; Lot E, a Public School House; and Lot F, a Public Hospital, all at New Westminster.

5. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 16, signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Nanaimo.

6. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 17, by letter A, and signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Hope.

7. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 19, by letter A, signed as above, being the Jail at Yale.

8. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated by letters A and B, on plan No. 22, signed as above, being the Court House and Jail at Lytton.

9. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated by letters A and B, on plan No. 25, signed as above, being Lot A, a Court House; and Lot B, a Jail, at Lillooet.

10. The Public Buildings and Lands represented on plan No. 28, signed as above, being the Jail at Quesnelle.

11. The Public Buildings and Lands represented on plan No. 30, signed as above, and marked respectively "Court House," "Jail," and "Police Barracks," at Richfield.

12. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 31, signed as above, and marked "Assay Office," and "approximate site of Jail," at Barkerville.

13. The Public Building indicated on plan No. signed as above, and marked "Lock-up," at Van Winkle.

14. The Public Buildings and Lands indicated on plan No. 33, and marked "Court House, Gaol, Police Barracks, Church and Parsonage," at Langley; all of which plans are authenticated by the signature of the Minister of Public Works, and remain on record in his department.

And it is further ordered, that the said enumerated properties be, and they are hereby, transferred to the said Province of British Columbia, in their present state, and subject to any condition in the original grant or reservation, and to any trust, rent, claim, servitude, or other encumbrance whatsoever.

(Signed) W. A. HIMSWORTH,
jy2 Clerk Privy Council, Canada.

Notice to Claimants of Land.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the Kamloops Division of Yale District, have been sub-divided by survey, and the map thereof has been forwarded to the office of John Ussher, Esq., Commissioner, Kamloops:—

Portions of Townships 100, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, and 201.

And that Claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with clause 21, "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, Kamloops.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 12th August, 1876. au13

NOTICE.

Fall Circuit.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Richfield..............Monday, 18th September
Quesnellemouth.....Saturday, 23rd "
Clinton..............Monday, 2nd October
Kamloops............Friday, 6th "
Lytton...............Thursday, 12th "
Yale.................Monday, 16th "
New Westminster ...Saturday, 21st "

By command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
jy30 Provincial Secretary.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the land within the following boundaries, and situate in New Westminster District, is hereby reserved until further notice, viz:—

Commencing at a point in Jarvis Inlet in the centre of the channel of Prince of Wales Reach, due East from Dacre's point; thence following the centre of the said channel to the bend of the said Inlet and including all the land within a distance of three miles on both sides of the said centre channel.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1876. se17

Notice.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that all that tract of land situate in the District of New Westminster containing 160 acres and known as Lot 149, Group 2, will be offered for sale at Public Auction, on the 13th day of November, 1876, in the City of New Westminster. Upset price One Dollar per acre, $1.00.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
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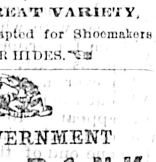

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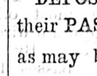

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TESTIMONIAL.

CASSIAR DISTRICT, B.C.,
June 12th, 1876.

Jas. L. Crimp, Esq.,

DEAR SIR:—We, the Subscribers, Merchants and Miners of Cassiar, beg to express our regret at your removal from the office of Recorder of this District, and to tender you our thanks for your uniform courtesy, attention and obliging disposition in the discharge of your official duties while an incumbent of that office.

Wishing you every success in your new sphere of life, and reiterating our regrets at your removal,

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